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McKnight, et al.

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09/866,038

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Art Unit

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Examiner

T. R. Chowdhury

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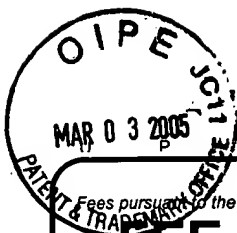
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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		Application Number	09/866,038
		Filing Date	May 24, 2001
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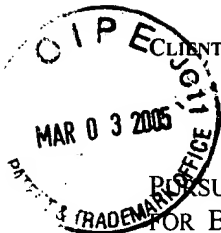
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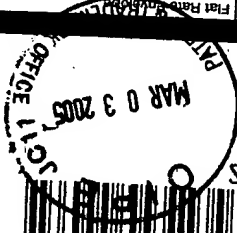
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